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C O N F I D E N T I A L STUTTGART 0563

DEPARTMENT FOR WLG FROM CHAIRMAN LIAISON GROUP (ELG)

E.O. 11652: GDS
TAGS AEMR
SUBJ: EVACUATION PLANNING

1. RECENT EVACUATION EXPERIENCES IN CYPRUS AND ETHIOPIA HAVE SHOWN THAT BY THE TIME EUCOM ELEMENTS ARE CALLED UPON TO ASSIST, ESTIMATES OF POTENTIAL EVACUEES CONTAINED IN ANNUAL F-77 REPORTS HAVE BEEN OVERTAKEN BY EVENTS IN A PRE-EVACUATION SITUATION. THEY ARE LESS ACCURATE AND REFINED THAN THOSE NEEDED BY U.S. MILITARY TO PLAN PROMPT, EFFICIENT EMERGENCY EVACUATIONS. NUMBER ACTUAL EVACUEES TEND TO BE CONSIDERABLY LESS THAN F-77 RE ESTIMATES, ESPECIALLY IN RESIDENTS, TOURISTS, AND OTHER POTENTIAL EVACUEES CATEGORIES.

2. LATEST ESTIMATES OF POTENTIAL EVACUEES FROM PORTUGAL AVAILABLE TO US ARE CONTAINED IN LISBON CONFIDENTIAL

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A-79, OPORTO A-13, AND PONTA DELGADA A-10 OF JULY 1974.

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THERE ARE SOME INDICATIONSHERE THAT NUMBERS OF
TOURISTS AND OTHER POTENTIAL EVACUEES CATEGORIES ARE
NOW LESS THAN CONTAINED IN THOSE REPORTS, BUT NO
AUTHORITATIVE DATA AVAILABLE.

3. SINCE ELG IS ROUTINELY UPDATING EVACUATION DATA
FOR ACTION POSTS, AMONG OTHERS, IT WOULD BE HELPFUL
IF UPCOMING ANNUAL F-77 REPORTS COULD BE SUBMITTED
BY TELEGRAM AT EARLIEST PRACTICABLE DATE AND CONTAIN
REFINEMENTS SUGGESTED IN PARAGRAPH 1. JENKINS

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